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In re Patent Application of:
YEM CHIN *et al.*

Application No.: 09/963,676

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
MEASURING AND CONTROLLING
BLADE DEPTH OF A TISSUE CUTTING
APPARATUS IN AN ENDOSCOPIC
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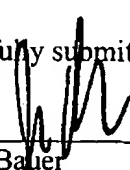
We have inadvertently requested a three-month extension of time to enter the November 17, 2006 appeal brief when only a two-month extension is required based on that the Notice of Panel Decision was issued on August 18, 2006.

By Petition for Extension of Time submitted on November 17, 2006, the Commissioner was authorized and has charged an amount of \$1,020 for three-month extension to our Deposit Account No. 50-0624. Therefore, we are hereby requesting a credit back to our Deposit Account No. 50-0624 in the amount of \$570 when the required fee for a two-month extension is ~~\$450~~.

Thank you.

Dated: December 13, 2006

Respectfully submitted,

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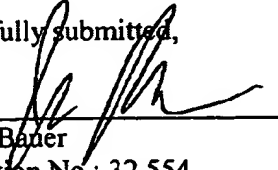
Dear Sir:

Please grant a three-month petition for extension of time to enter this appeal brief.
Please charge the fee, believed to be \$1020.00, to our Deposit Account No. 50-0624.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0624, under Order No. BSX-219-US.
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